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EDITOR's CLOSET.

"Be just, and fear not."

We copy the following articles from the Evening Post, to shew that office-holders and office-seekers are alike every where:—

The "Gnawing Vipers."——I have just come across the Public Advertiser of Friday evening, which is nearly filled with the Resolves and Address of the General Committee of "Republican *Young Men*, Richard Riker, Esq. in the Chair," (Richard Riker, a married *young* man, aged 40.)—The Resolves are in the usual style of abuse which democrats know so well how to display; but the *Address* is one of the most impudent, silly, and contemptible, and at the same time the most bitter and malignant performances I ever read. It concludes with calling on the Young Men "to stand forth against the *vipers* who *gnaw* the vitals that cherish them." And who are these gnawing vipers? Who are they? Look round, fellow-citizens, upon the herd of fat *office holders* in this city secure from the reach of the Embargo and the fat office hunters, and you may easily find who they are. Not Federalists; for against them the doors of office have long been barred. Who then are they?

First, Turn your eyes to the man who heads the democratic party in this state, *De Witt Clinton*. Is he not Mayor of your city with an income of nearly 15,000 dollars a year? But is he contented even with this? No; he must also be a Senator, and take the lead in the Legislature, and in the midnight caucus at Albany, during the whole winter, and therefore, New-York has been indecently left without a Chief Magistrate all this period. One concession, however, is due to candour, I admit that without the presence and agency of the Chief Juggler even the Punch of the puppet-shew could not move.

Next there comes His Honour Matthias B. Talmadge, District Judge of the United States, and Chairman of a democratic meeting of the Fifth Ward. He has a good fat salary, and is a relation of De Witt's.

Following him we place Pierre C. Van Wyck, "A tall gentleman by heavens!" as Shakespeare says, and that I hope is no offence. This man is Recorder of the city of New-York, and by way of giving the public the most extensive notice of the petition of Insolvents, orders them to be printed in the two democratic papers of this city. And this I suppose he thinks a conscientious discharge of the duties of an office worth somewhere about 6000 dollars a year.

John W. Wyman has only lately been made a "viper," as clerk of the Sessions and Oyer and Terminer. He has hardly yet begun to *gnaw* upon us, but I dare say he will soon play his part as well as the rest.

Tunis Wortman now is a *viper* who *gnaws* deeper, much deeper. I presume Tunis gnaws into about 8000 dollars a year.

Thomas Farmar who leads the Assembly Ticket, and was a *Tory*, is our Port Warden, and *gnaws* a handsome subsistence out of that office.

Next we place young Mr. Richard Riker; the young man who presided at the above meeting, and not so tall a gentleman as the last. He enjoys an excellent office as District Attorney, and he has held it ever since he apostatized from the Federalists and wore a *black cockade*, which I am told he did till the last day when the Federalists lost the election in 1800.

Let us add Joseph Constant, Esq. their candidate for the Assembly, who wore a famous *black cockade* in the "times that tried men's souls," as Cheetham says. He has enriched himself by the office of sheriff, which is now given to Mr. Benjamen Ferris, in preference to Reynard Gilbert, Esq. and thereby hangs a tale.

Nathan Sanford may as well come in here; he is another candidate for the Assembly and was one of the *black cockade* gentry also. He has a noble office, that of District Attorney for the United States; and I dare say never repented of being an apostate from federalism. But I should like to know what an officer of the United States has to do in our State Legislature?

James Fairlie, another candidate for the Assembly, enjoys the office of clerk of the Supreme Court, and if a man can perform the duties of that office and be absent half the year and get his 6000 dollars for it, why then he has a confounded good office, that's what I say.

There's another gentleman by the name of Sylvanus Miller, who was one of the Democratic Assembly Ticket last year, and who like most of the ticket took care to feather his own nest with the office of Surrogate.

Benjamin Ferris, at the same time and place, and by virtue of the same situation as one of the same Representatives, helped himself to the good fat office of Sheriff of the city and county of New-York.

John M'Kesson is another of your "*vipers*," in virtue of the office of *Clerk of the circuit*, by which he *gnaws* about 4000 dollars a year out of somebody's pocket.

Beekman M. Van Beuren another of their candidates, is Road master, and *gnaws* a handsome subsistence there. This man more than any other deserves the appellation of *viper* in an eminent degree; for a gentleman has just left me who says it can be proved by the affidavit of twenty persons, that this Van Beuren has declared that if he had the power he would put every federalist in the city to death. And some time ago he said he hoped there would be a war, for then the federalists, who were all known, would have their property sequestered.

Gabriel Havens our harbor master too, *gnaws* his 2500 dollars a year, and is an excellent, active electioneerer: so we'll put him down.

I could go on and enumerate a tribe of some hundreds of these office holders and office seekers, for, if my information is correct, it was with the utmost difficulty that travellers could get necessary accommodations in Albany last winter, owing to the crowds of democratic office hunters.

Look at the list of their Chairmen and Secretaries in the different Wards. In the First Ward we have George Harsan, Chairman, *Measurer*, John Slidell, Secretary, late Justice Clerk and now expectant of the police office. Second Ward, no meeting. Third Ward, James Warner, Chairman, seeker of the police office, Benjamin L. Day, Secretary. Fourth Ward, James Drake, Chairman, Alderman, Sylvester L'Hommedieu, Secretary. Fifth Ward, MATTHIAS B. TALMADGE, Chairman, District Judge, Abraham B. Valuntine, Deputy Sheriff. Sixth Ward, John D. Miller, Chairman, an Alderman, Richard L. Walker, Secretary, seeker of the office of Health Commissioner. Seventh and Tenth Wards, Mangie Minthorne, Chairman, the Governor's Papa, and a tory during the war, Judah Hammond, Secretary, a Justice of Peace. Eighth Ward, Peter H. Wendover, Chairman, State Prision Agent and a seeker of more. Ninth Ward, Henry Post, Chairman, a Justice of Peace, John P. Waldron, Secretary, a Road Master.

Such are the people who preside at and take the lead at the Democratic Ward Meetings, and egg the people on against the Federalists, whom they modestly call "*gnawing vipers.*"

More "gnawing vipers."—Since the Democrats think it proper to caution the people against "gnawing vipers," I hope it will not be amiss if I join them in the caution. They are cautioned then against William Johnson, Grocer, and Burdet his partner, who are very active vipers indeed. And good reason for it. These two men have hired the Slips of the Corporation the present year for a certain sum, and the *embargo* is the very card for them; it is trumps all the time; for every registered vessel above a 100 tons that the Embargo obliges to lie in their Slips, has to pay them a dollar a day. Thus while the embargo starves Sailors and Carmen, and day-labor-

ers and Mechanics, it brings in the dollars by hundreds and thousands to these gentlemen. No wonder they are active "vipers."

More "vipers."—It is impossible to make a list of all the democratic office holders and office hunters in this city. My paper would not contain their names. It is only the more active and distinguished ones. There is that mob leader Peterson, Inspector of Leather and captain of the Watch; and then there are the Justices of the 50 dollar court, Thomas Hertell, Sam Lawrence, and John Ferguson: to which may be added the late batch of Justices of the Wards, made principally out of old Auctioneers, and out of every thing but men of intelligence who understand the laws of the country. All these Officers are, to an individual, EMBARGO MEN, and well they may be, for not a soul of them feels it.

COLUMBIA COUNTY.

Statement of Votes

FOR MEMBERS OF ASSEMBLY,
REPRESENTATIVES TO CONGRESS,
AND SENATOR.

April, 1808.

Towns.	MEMBERS OF ASSEMBLY.								CONGRESS.				SENATOR	
	Jacob R. Van Rensselaer,	James Hyatt,	Moncrief Livingston,	Gaius Stebbins.	John King,	Josiah Holley,	William Tanner.	Alexr. Coffin.	R. Le Roy Livingston,	H. Knickebacker.	James I. Van Alen,	James L. Hogeboom.	E. P. Livingston.	Samuel Ten Broeck.
Hudson,	330	336	324	323	294	288	292	286	316	314	297	297	181	165
Claverack,	213	213	210	206	259	240	243	242	202	201	245	242		
Kinderhook,	240	239	240	239	193	193	191	194	239	237	202	198	178	141
Canaan,	313	313	314	315	324	320	319	320	314	313	317	317	228	230
Chatham,	186	186	183	184	182	180	178	177	184	182	179	178	148	131
Hillsdale,	194	187	178	180	356	356	351	354						
Gallatin,	294	287	291	282	48	68	46	48	318	306	20	23	115	29
Granger,	204	206	205	203	119	117	118	121	201	198	121	121		
Livingston,	209	213	216	209	17	27	15	18	216	212	17	14	109	15
Germantown,	89	89	89	89	9	9	9	8	88	88	8	9	63	6
Clermont,	116	115	115	115	21	22	21	21	116	115	20	20	68	12
Total,	2388	2384	2365	2345	1802	1820	1783	1789						

Unexampled Victory!

Good principles have again triumphed in this county—and to a degree, hitherto altogether unparalleled. The people of Columbia have turned out with a spirit and zeal evincive of their patriotism and attachment to the cause of freedom and independence. They have pronounced, in emphatical language, their disapprobation of the measures of our general and state governments; and they have done their part towards bringing about a change, and a consequent reform. If every part of the state has done the same, *our country, thank heaven, is yet safe.*

We prize our victory the more dearly in this county, when we reflect on the means employed by the office-holders and their dependants, to keep down the spirit of the people, to stifle the voice of patriotism, and to shackle the freedom of suffrage. The electors have struggled against every thing—against official influence—against persecution—against impositions of various kinds—against oral, written and printed falsehoods—against every thing that democracy could invent, or demagogues practise. But they have not struggled in vain. A free people can surmount every difficulty—they can face every danger.

In Hudson, our poll was besieged during the whole election, by our office-holders and office-hunters of every grade and description, not even excepting our new commissioner of loans, (having about 10,000 dollars of the public money at his disposal) and a stranger, lately appointed an auctioneer for this city, who had not even become a voter.—Towards the close of the poll, our jailer, who had just returned from his electioneering labors in the country [the nature of which we shall shew below] brought up to the poll a prisoner who had been in close confinement for more than a year in one of the strong rooms of the jail. His vote was challenged; and he made oath, *that he had rented a tenement in the county for the last six months, of the yearly value of five dollars, &c.* Waving all remarks on the propriety of bringing a prisoner out of close confinement to vote against *freemen*, we beg leave to ask *where* this man *rents a tenement?* He came from another county when he was put into confinement here. He has occupied one of the strong grated rooms ever since. Is not a confined debtor, entitled to his jail-room? If any body has a right to receive rent for the strong rooms, who is it? Has the jailer this right? Has the jailer ever rendered an account to the supervisors of the county for monies received for rent of the grated rooms? If so, is it understood that the people of this county, have built a jail to be rented out to make voters of close prisoners? If not, is our jailer playing the double game of pocketing money received for the rent of public property, and making voters of men in his custody?—While we are speaking of this voter, we cannot forbear to remark, that the bare word of this man was accepted by the inspectors as a proof of his naturalization, (he being a foreigner) while free men of colour who had regularly voted for years past, were required to produce positive proof of their manumission, before they could be admitted. In one instance, a man of this description, who had become a *freeholder*, was compelled to ride four miles after his certificate of manumission, which he had held for several years. This fact might excite some surprize, was it not recollected that every one of the inspectors were committee-men duly appointed to promote the election of the democratic candidates.

To shew the reader how much our democrats regard the freedom of election, we beg leave to lay before them the following letter, which was addressed to an elector of this county, a little previous to the late election, by J. H. Strong, Deputy-Sheriff and jailer of the county, and marshall of the city of Hudson. *He* had been appointed a committee-man, and adopted this, as one mode to fulfil his duty in that capacity.—Enclosed in this letter, were the democratic tickets for Senator, members of Congress and assemblymen. The elector, with the spirit of a freeman, and the firmness and uprightness of an American patriot, came boldly forward, and voted the independent federal ticket, in defiance of the base and corrupt overtures of this busy, mischievous and vile little electioneering deputy.

[A Copy.]

"Dear Sir,

"Mr. Holley has directed me not to dis-
"tress you on account of Paddock's Exe-
"cution. I hope you will not return this
"favour with ingratitude, but that you will
"join with Mr. Holley in support of the Re-
"publican Ticket at the Election.

"In haste, I am
"Mr. —— —— "Yours,
[Signed] "Jeremh. H. Strong."

The original of this letter, together with the tickets enclosed in it, are carefully preserved, and may be examined by any person who will take the trouble to call at the Balance-office; and least this should not be quite sufficient to convince *every body* of the profligacy of our opponents, we shall add further documents, on some future day.

Amongst the dirty tricks practised by the democrats on this occasion, we mention the following, as the most conspicuous. In the night preceding the election, a little handbill was printed and carefully con-

cealed from every person in this vicinity. But Squire Rodman (clerk of the assembly and aid to his excellency) pedlar like, took a load of them, and distributed them in the remote parts of the county, reading them aloud in every tavern and at every poll, and calling upon the people to hear and believe. We have just seen one of these handbills, which we intend to preserve as a curiosity in memory of the author and pedlar. The most hardened democrat in the country will not *now* pretend that a single word of it is true; because the election is over.

We forbear to enlarge on these topics at present. The preceding canvass will furnish the best evidence of the virtue, patriotism and integrity of the people.——Last year we had an average majority on our assembly ticket of 378. It is now increased to 572; and our congress ticket has an average of , and our senator, of . Well may we exclaim——"*Hail Columbia!*"

Good News!

From every quarter, we receive the most flattering accounts of the election.—In the district composed of Columbia, Rensselaer and Washington, we have every reason to believe that the federal candidates for Congress are elected. In Greene and Ulster a federalist (B. Gardenier) is elected. In Dutchess the same result—in Albany, ditto. The federal assembly ticket in Albany succeeded by upwards of 1200 majority—in Rensselaer by nearly 600—in Greene by 450—in Ulster by about 300—and we have the most promising reports from the whole western district.

Whereas reports have been circulated in the town of Claverack, and other places, that in a conversation with Alexander Coffin, the post master in Hudson, I had declared, that in case of a war between this Country and Great Britain, I should refuse to take up arms against that country—Now I do hereby pronounce all such reports to be absolutely *false* and *malicious*; and for a contradiction of said reports, refer the public to the said Alexander Coffin.

Wm. G. Philip.

April 29th, 1808.

The following is the result of the election as far as we have been able to ascertain. Members of Assembly will be as follows:—

	Federal.	*Lewisite.*	*Demo.*
From New-York - -			11
Richmond - - -			1
Kings - -	1		
Queens -	3		
West Chester -	4		
Dutchess -	2	2	2
Ulster - -	5		
Green - -	2		
Columbia -	4		
Rensselaer -	5		
Albany - -	7		
Schoharie -	2		
Montgomery -	4		
	39	2	14

The Hon. James Sloan, a Representative in Congress from the State of New-Jersey, has addressed a letter to his constituents telling them that since the caucus held at Washington in January last, for the purpose of nominating a President and Vice-President he has discovered a combination of *causes* and *effects* connected with Mr. Madison's election "*in their nature and tendency dangerous to the liberty and interest of these United States.*" It is astonishing that Mr. Sloan should not have made this discovery long ago. But better late than never. The country can yet be saved from irremediable ruin and destruction if the national Representatives (like Mr. Sloan,) would dare to be independent and shake off that blind confidence in the executive which has been carried to such an alarming extent the present session. The following is the concluding paragraph of the address which gives us to understand that there is "something rotten in the state of Denmark" and that he has discovered dark and dismal clouds ready to burst on our devoted heads.—*E. P.*

"I shall conclude with observing, that if I could have reconciled it with my duty as one of your representatives, to have voted *for immense appropriations, for the express purpose of forging chains for you and your posterity*, instead of insults, abuse, and threats of assassination, I might have passed smoothly along, and enjoyed the smiles of courtly sycophants, and servile dependants upon executive patronage, *and the public treasury*; but in so doing, I must have acted contrary to both the interest and liberty of the people of the U. S. and particularly so to my constituents of New-Jersey, to whom I am more immediately accountable, and to whom I thus publicly appeal; leaving it to their candour to censure, or approbate my conduct, and subscribe myself

"Your friend and fellow citizen,

"*JAMES SLOAN.*"

"Washington, April 12, 1808."

Extract of a letter from a gentleman in New-Haven, to the Editor, dated April 23, 1808.

"DEAR SIR,

"You doubtless recollect that in giving an acount of the proceedings of our Circuit Court on a prosecution against Mr. Backus for slandering the President, you predicted, and warned the public to remember it, that if the truth could be given in evidence, *that* prosecution would never be tried. This was either one year or eighteen months ago.

"Our Circuit Court is now in session, and Judge Livingston is holding it with the District Judge. Yesterday our *learned* District Attorney entered a nolle presequi in the indictments against Judge Reeve, Mr. Backus, and Mr. Collier.—The only remaining one was submitted to the Court on a demurrer, without argument, and the Court being divided in opinion, it ends there, unless removed to the Supreme Court of the United States.

"Thus these prosecutions terminate after a series of the most mean, profligate, malignant, and contemptible conduct on the part of their instigators and abettors.——A faithful history of this villanous transaction, with some estimate of the expense, will be soon published, and, if the picture be in any good degree just, the world will see a picture of democracy *worth looking at.*"—*Ev. Post.*

Executive Power.—Our Correspondent at Washington has forwarded us the Act authorizing the President to suspend the embargo, which passed last Tuesday, near midnight—Yeas 60—Nays 38. It will be perceived that although this bill affects to state the conditions under which the President may suspend the Act, yet, that after all, the whole is submitted to his *discretion*. He is authorized to suspend in such event as in *his judgment* may render it safe. Was such an enormous extension of executive influence ever before heard of? We may safely defy his minions to produce any thing equal to it in the monarchy of Great-Britain. Was the commerce of England ever placed in the hands and at the disposal of the king? No; never.—*E. Post.*

JOURNAL OF THE TIMES.

Be it our weekly task,
To note the passing tidings of the times.

By the brig Hope, Capt. Andrews, arrived on Monday 18th inst. at Marblehead, from Gijon, in Spain, in the Bay of Biscay, we have news from that country, to the 10th of last month. It appears that the citadel of Pampleuse, in the kingdom of Navarre and that of Figueyras in the principality of Catalonia, had been garrisoned with French troops, with the consent and by order of the King of Spain, and therefore without any opposition from the commandant of the same:—that the Rochefort fleet had joined that of Carthagena, consisting of 19 ships of the line, &c. and have proceeded thence, jointly, to Toulon;—that the general opinion of the best informed class in Spain was, that the Prince of Asturias, the heir apparent of the throne, would be married to Miss Beauharnois, daughter of the ambassador, a niece of the Empress of France; and that Murat had already arrived in Madrid no doubt preparatory to the coming of the Emperor and the consummation of the said event, together with other arrangements, such as allotting Portugal as a dowery to his said niece. There were in Ferrol 5 ships of the line, one new, of 120 guns, and 3 frigates, ready for sea.

——*Merc Adv.*

Captain Hillard, who arrived at Boston on Sunday from Alicant, informs, that three days previous to his sailing, accounts were received there that 8000 French troops had arrived at Barcelona, on their way to Alicant, to take possession of that place; and it was understood the French were to occupy all the Spanish Seaports.

The Senate have passed a bill "empowering the President to equip all the frigates and other vessels of war of the U. States."

THE KNOT.

Married, in Coxsackie, by the Rev. Henry Ostrander, on Saturday the 30th ult. Mr. LUMAN REED, merchant, to Miss POLLY BARKER, daughter of Mr. Eleazer Barker, merchant, all of the above mentioned place.

THE KNELL.

Died, in this city, on the 29th ult. CORNELIA D. TALMAN, daughter of Dr. John Talman, aged 4 years and 6 months.

WREATH.

[Though the following may be out of season, it has lost none of its wit.]

From the New-York Evening Post.

TO NEPTUNE;

The most great, most noble, most illustrious, most powerful, most magnanimous, most tremendous

MONARCH OF THE OCEAN.

The Petition of a host of Aqueous Particles, who, while on furlough from the Ocean, to visit some friends in the Northern Lakes, have, by order of Boreas, been the whole Winter, Embargoed, in the North River.

Great Neptune, Monarch of the mighty Main :
Hear our complaint, which we relate with pain :
May't please your honour ;
Your honour knows us, tho' we are but small ;
And we your honor know ; you're known by all ;
Your honour knows, that during your whole reign,
We've loyal been, and ever did maintain
Your rights and ours, and 'twas our pride to sing
Duty to God Almighty, and our King.
With equal zeal, we 'bey'd each order giv'n,
Issued by our own King, or King of Heav'n.
When Heav'n, in wrath, bade whelming waters roll ;
We mov'd in might, and swept, from Pole to Pole
As we were bid'n, all creatures which had breath;
Our shoreless Ocean roll'd in waves of death ;
The high behest perform'd, our host, again
Was ordered to the wide extended Main ;
With, " thus far roll ; here be your empire staid :"
We roll thus far ; our orders are obey'd.
But bounteous Heav'n ordain'd, by Nature's laws,
Freedom's great principles, and fix'd that cause,
Which raises, oft, whole myriads of our host,
From surging waves, which lash the rock bound Coast,
To sport, on Furlough, round the misty sky,
On wind-wing'd chariots, as we choose to fly
In mist, or rain, or hail, or softer snow ;
Sweeping our course, aloft, or scudding low :
Alighting oft, in gentlest dews by night ;
And oft, in rattling hale, we spread affright :
In giddy gyres we ride ; sport night and day,
And dance, on air, all tunes the wind can play,
Our Furlough out, we light in easy rain ;
And, by some well known rout, we seek the Main ;
Refresh'd on earth, we join with all our mights
Our sov'reign's host to vindicate his rights.
Your Honour knows, this privilege uncontroul'd
We've had, since earth was dry, or ocean roll'd.
Now, please your Honour, hear the foul disgrace
Endur'd by us, your Honour's loyal race—
But two moons since, when all our countless host,
Furlough'd from duty, on th' Atlantic Coast,
Came wafted hither, in a gentle breeze ;
Journ'ing, to visit all the inland seas,
And Lakes, surrounded by the cloud-capt wood,
To visit friends, not seen, since Noah's Flood :
When, lo ; the treach'rous, trait'rous Borean blast,
Embargo'd all, and chain'd each at one fast :
Fix'd his decrees as fate, no reasons giv'n ;
The whole mysterious as the ways of Heav'n!
Petitions, cries, and prayers were all in vain,
To let us loose, to join the rolling Main.
For Moons, we've lain congeal'd in bands of death,
Nor felt the sun, nor fanning zephyr's breath :
In scorn, tramp'd under foot, with hellish spite :
The fiend-like Boreas smiling at the sight.
And all design'd to answer basest ends ;
To stop our visit to our good old friends.
May't please your Honor ; this should not so be :
Earth holds no empire o'er the mighty sea ;
Nor, has stern Boreas, any right to seize
Your honor's subjects, trav'lling where they please.
We pray your Honor then, for some redress,
For our impris'ment ; for this foul duress ;
We only ask, that you will once decree
Our host abus'd, the centries of the sea :
We'd *blockade* Earth, and Boreas soon shall know,
How far thy Trident, and thy pow'r can go.
This upstart elf shall feel thy rod despis'd,
And writhe, in anguish, while he stands chastis'd :
When sudden vengeance lights on all his coast ;
His treasures squander'd, and his empire lost.

AQUEOUS ATOMAC MYRIADS.

Lake George, 34 Moon, 1808.

MISCELLANY.

From the E. Post, April 22.

Yesterday the merchants and several other gentlemen of this city, complimented Mr. Gardenier with a public dinner, in consideration of his late patriotic conduct in Congress, and particularly for his eminent exertions to procure suitable fortifications of this port and harbor.

At 5 o'clock, upwards of one hundred gentlemen sat down to an uncommonly elegant entertainment, at the Mechanic Hall, accompanied by a very elegant band of music. Cornelius Ray, Esq. President of the Branch Bank of the U. S. and of the Chamber of Commerce, presided. Among the guests were the Hon. Mr. Morris, the Hon. Mr. King, and the Hon. Mr. Mason and the Hon. Mr. Otis, of Boston. After Dinner, the following Toasts were drank :

1. The United States of America—*yet* free and independent. *Hail Columbia.*

2. The President of the United States—the full and responsible exercise of his constitutional prerogatives, but *no more.*

3. The Senate and House of Representatives—emancipated from the control of an "unseen hand."

4. Washington's last caution—"No excessive partialities for one foreign nation ; no excessive dislikes of another."

Washington's March.

5. The Port and Harbor of New-York—may our rulers never forget that protection and allegiance are reciprocal.

New-York March.

6. Agriculture—poor crops and a good market are better than good crops and no market. *March.*

7. Commerce—*Alas!* it is "embarrassed by too much regulation." *Dirge.*

8. Neutral Rights—may they be well understood and proudly maintained.

March.

9. Freedom of Debate—it is essential to the preservation of liberty.

Three Cheers.

10. "Darkness and Mystery"—May they cease to "overshadow Congress and the Nation." *March.*

11. The memory of Washington—the pure patriot ; the practical statesman ; no dreaming theorist ; no visionary philosopher. *Solemn Music.*

12. The memory of Alexander Hamilton—the pride of his country, the crisis which his prophetic spirit foresaw, has arrived : *He is no more.*

Hamilton's Funeral Dirge.

13. Timothy Pickering—the modern Cincinnatus ; he would have equalled the best of the Romans in the best days of Rome. *Yankee Doodle.*

14. John Quincy Adams—He has "burst open the doors of honour and confidence"—How? *He's aye a kissing me.*

15. The people—May they seek information for themselves, when they find the Representatives disposed to Legislate without knowing why or wherefore. *March.*

16. Independence—It is essential to it, that we should have "the right to levy war, conclude peace, and contract alliances" for ourselves, subject neither to the controul nor the dictation of any foreign power.

March.

17. Blocks and Chains, Torpedoes and Proclamations—No defence for the Port and Harbour of New-York. *March.*

BY MR. GARDENIER.

The City of New-York——Without Commerce it could not have existed—without Commerce it must perish—May the Citizens be true to themselves.

After Mr. GARDENIER had retired.

The Hon. Barent Gardenier—The bold and eloquent defender of the Rights of the People. *Nine Cheers.*

VOLUNTEERS.

By Mr. King.—The Liberty of Speech—With it Congress is the Bulwark of Freedom, without it the Monument of Slavery.

By Mr. G. Morris.—May our rulers, inverting their course, defend their measures by Argument, their Country by Arms.

By Judge Benson.—The Embargo-Law, or, the President and Congress an Inquest *finding* the Merchant *non compos* to calculate his own Risks.

From the same.

Who's the Dupe?—Our democratic republicans of this city, avowedly consist of two parties, distinguished by the names of *Clintonians* and *Madisonians.* Each has been striving to outwit the other, ever since the session at Albany. We believe, that at Albany, the former were foiled. Their object was to procure the nomination of Governor Clinton to the presidency, but every effort for this purpose failed. The next thing was to procure the nomination of a Clintonian ticket in the city and county of New-York ; and in this they have at length succeeded ; to the utter astonishment and mortification of their good republican brethren. Various however, have been the manoeverings, curious and complicated the doubling and turning, to turn the laugh upon their friends. We much doubt, if so much generalship was ever displayed by the Great Bashaw against the Federalists. The play is *who's the dupe?* And notwithstanding all the activity of the leading members in the *House of Commons*, aided by *Amicus* in the Public Advertiser, the *Peers* have fairly carried their point.

We shall not conceal that if one or the other must succeed we prefer the latter.

For members of Congress they have nominated Gurdon S. Mumford and William Denning. Now we observe that the former has not only signed a formal protest against the nomination of Madison at Washington, but we know he has been loud and open in expressing his disapprobation of him since his return, and not only of him but of Jefferson also. He has declared that Jefferson had lost his confidence, but that his opinion of Madison was infinitely worse than of Jefferson. Mr. Mumford, too if we are not misinformed, has very explicitly and unequivocally condemned the experiment about to be made on our harbour.

As to Mr. Denning, he is the fast and intimate personal friend of Governor Clinton and inimical to the *Embargo*, as is Governor Clinton himself.

WHEREAS default having been made in the payment of the sum of two thousand nine hundred and twenty-one dollars and ninety-nine cents, secured to be paid to Ezra Reed, jun. of the city of Hudson by Timothy Babcock, of the town of Claverack and Eunice his wife, by their certain indenture of mortgage, by them duly executed and delivered to the said Ezra Reed, jun. bearing date the twenty-sixth day of July, one thousand eight hundred and five; and whereas the said indenture of mortgage has in due form of law been assigned and transferred to us the subscribers, Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of a power in the said indenture of mortgage contained, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, we shall expose to sale at public auction or vendue, on the eighth day of July next, at the dwelling-house of Medad Butler, innholder in the town of Kinderhook, the premises in the said indenture of mortgage contained, that is to say, all that certain farm or parcel of land situate, lying and being within the town of Claverack and county of Columbia, beginning at the bridge across the Claverack creek, upon the Union turnpike road, and running thence southerly, along and upon said creek, to the lands in possession of Adam Van Alen; thence eastwardly along the said lands in the possession of said Adam to the lands in possession of Peter Sharp, lately occupied by Peter Herder; thence northerly along the lands in possession of said Sharp to a cross-fence made by Giles Frary, and where the road or path from the eastward (by Johannis Smith's) intersects the said Union turnpike road; thence south-westwardly along said Union turnpike road to the place of beginning—containing about one hundred and twenty-five acres of land, reserving thereout a right to Ezekiel Gilbert, his heirs and assigns, to make a dam or dams across said creek, and to make and maintain a canal across the low lands of said farm, which right is particularly set forth in the said indenture. Dated December 18, 1807.

Roswell Reed,
15 Epenetus Reed.

DEFAULT having been made in the payment of the sum of one hundred dollars, with the interest thereon, secured to be paid by a certain indenture of release by way of mortgage, dated the first day of November, one thousand eight hundred and four, and executed by William Bresie and Alodiane his wife, of the town of Hillsdale, county of Columbia and state of New-York, to Ambrose Bryan, of the town and county aforesaid, of all that certain piece, parcel or tract of land, lying and being in the town, county and state aforesaid, bounded as follows, viz. beginning on the turnpike road at a stake joining lands sold by the said Bryan, of the second part, to Samuel Bryan, thence along the turnpike south eighty degrees and forty-five minutes west, ten chains and sixty links, to John Cronkshire's lands; thence north six degrees and thirty minutes east, seventeen chains and fifteen links; thence south eighty-six degrees west, one chain and seventy-five links, to a white-oak staddle: thence north thirteen degrees east, one chain and seventy links; thence north sixteen degrees and forty-five minutes east, seven chains and sixteen links; thence north eighty-two degrees and forty-five minutes west, two chains and thirteen links, to the road leading by Samuel Bryan's; thence north forty-eight degrees east three chains; thence south forty-eight degrees east, fourteen chains and forty-five links; thence south ten degrees and forty minutes west, sixteen chains and sixty links, to the place of beginning: containing twenty-five acres. Notice is therefore hereby given, that by virtue of a power contained in the said mortgage, and in pursuance of the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgaged premises will be sold at public vendue, at the house of Samuel Stocking, inn-keeper, in the city of Hudson, on the twenty-first day of May next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day. Dated the 16th day of November, 1807. 60

Ambrose Bryan.
By Grosvenor & Bay, *his Attornies.*

WHEREAS John Townsend, now or late of the town of Kinderhook, in the county of Columbia and state of New-York, and Sarah his wife, by indenture bearing date the twenty-seventh day of August, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and four, for securing the payment of two thousand five hundred dollars with the lawful interest thereof, on or before the first day of May then next, Did Mortgage and convey unto Michael Merritt and Nehemiah Merritt, of the city of New-York, flour merchants, and to their heirs and assigns forever, all and singular the one equal half part of that certain fall of water, commonly called Abraham Staats' Fish Falls, lying and being in the great creek, together with one equal quarter part of the dam erected over the said creek by David Lawrence, esquire; and also the one half part of a certain piece or parcel of land adjoining to the said fall and on the north side of the said great creek, and extending thereon from a certain gully east of the said fall to a certain gully or hollow west thereof, so as to include the old orchard, formerly of Jacob Muller, and extending with that breadth from the said creek northward until it comprehends the full and exact quantity of twenty acres of land, as in and by a certain map thereof made by Cotton Gelston, reference being thereto had may more fully appear; which said parcel of land is situate in the southern part of the town of Kinderhook, in the county of Columbia aforesaid, and east of the former dwelling-house of Samuel Staats, deceased: And whereas default has been made in the payment of the said sum of two thousand and five hundred dollars with the interest thereof as aforesaid, Notice is therefore hereby given, that by virtue of a power contained in the said mortgage, and also in pursuance of the act in such case made and provided, the said mortgaged premises will be sold at public auction or vendue, at the Court-house in the city of Hudson and county of Columbia aforesaid, on Tuesday the sixteenth day of August next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day. Dated February 1st, 1808. 6

Michael Merritt,
Nehemiah Merritt.
By DICKINSON & AIKIN, their Attornies.

WHEREAS Rodolph Van Hoevenburgh, of the city of Hudson, in the county of Columbia and state of New-York, by Indenture bearing date the eighteenth day of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seven, for securing the payment of eight hundred and eighty-six dollars, on the fifth day of November then next, with interest from the first day of May then next, Did Mortgage, release and convey unto Eliakim Lapham, his heirs and assigns forever. All that certain farm of land, situate, lying and being in the town of Kinderhook, in the county and state aforesaid, on which the said Eliakim Lapham now dwells; containing ninety-four acres and one half—bounded northerly by Peter Reynolds, westerly by the heirs of Matthew M'Cegg, south by Van Duycks, and east by the post road: more particularly described in a deed of the premises executed by said Lapham and wife, to said Van Hoevenburgh, reference being had to said deed for a more accurate description of the premises;—And whereas default having been made in the payment of the said sum of eight hundred and eighty-six dollars, with the interest as aforesaid: Notice is therefore hereby given, that by virtue of a power contained in the said mortgage, and also by force of the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgaged premises will be sold at public vendue, at the house of Samuel Stocking inn-keeper, in the city of Hudson, on the eighteenth day of October next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day. Dated the seventeenth day of April, A. D. 1808. 15

Eliakim Lapham.
By E. Williams, *his Attorney.*

A variety of *Children's Books*,
For sale at Croswell & Frary's store.

WHEREAS Major Tyler, of the town of Hillsdale, in the county of Columbia, on the third day of July, one thousand eight hundred and four, for securing the payment of several sums of money, with the interest thereon, did mortgage to James Van Rensselaer, of Bethlehem, in the county of Albany, Philip Schuyler, of Rhinebeck, in the county of Dutchess, and Jacob Rutsen Van Rensselaer, of Claverack, in the county of Columbia, All that certain piece or parcel of land, situate, lying and being in Hillsdale aforesaid, containing one hundred and nineteen acres, two roods and thirty-five perches of land, according to the courses and distances, as mentioned by the boundaries contained in the said mortgage.

And whereas Benjamin Tiffany, junior, of Hillsdale, in the county of Columbia, on the twenty-ninth day of June, one thousand eight hundred and four, for securing the payment of several sums of money, with the interest thereon, did mortgage to James Van Rensselaer, of the town of Bethlehem, in the county of Albany, Philip Schuyler, of Rhinebeck, in the county of Dutchess, and Jacob Rutsen Van Rensselaer, of Claverack, in the county of Columbia, all that certain piece and parcel of land, situate, lying and being in Hillsdale aforesaid, containing ninety-nine acres, two roods and thirty-four perches of land; according to the courses and distances, as mentioned by the boundaries contained in the said mortgage.

And whereas David C. McKinstry, of the town of Hillsdale, in the county of Columbia, on the sixteenth day of July, one thousand eight hundred and four, for securing the payment of several sums of money, with the interest thereon, did mortgage to James Van Rensselaer, of the town of Bethlehem, in the county of Albany, Philip Schuyler, of Rhinebeck, in the county of Dutchess, and Jacob Rutsen Van Rensselaer, of Claverack, in the county of Columbia, all that certain piece and parcel of land, situate, lying and being in Hillsdale aforesaid, containing eighty-seven acres, two roods and nine perches of land; also another piece or parcel of land, lying in Hillsdale aforesaid, lately the property of Ezra Beers, and sold and conveyed by him to the said David McKinstry, containing thirty-six acres, two roods and thirty-seven perches of land; also a piece of wood land likewise conveyed by the said Ezra Beers, to the said David McKinstry, containing seven acres three roods and five perches of land; all which being particularly mentioned and described in the boundaries contained in the said mortgage.

And whereas John Olmstead, of the town of Hillsdale, in the county of Columbia, on the seventh day of July, one thousand eight hundred and four, for securing the payment of several sums of money, with the interest thereon, did mortgage to James Van Rensselaer, of the town of Bethlehem, in the county of Albany, Philip Schuyler, of Rhinebeck, in the county of Dutchess, and Jacob Rutsen Van Rensselaer, of Claverack, in the county of Columbia, all that certain piece or parcel of land, situate, lying and being in Hillsdale aforesaid, containing twenty-seven acres, one rood, and ten perches of land; according to the courses and distances, as mentioned by the boundaries contained in the said mortgage.

And whereas Henry Dingman, of the town of Hillsdale, in the county of Columbia, on the second day of July, one thousand eight hundred and four, for securing the payment of several sums of money with the interest thereon, did mortgage to James Van Rensselaer, of Bethlehem, in the county of Albany, Philip Schuyler of Rhinebeck, in the county of Dutchess, and Jacob Rutsen Van Rensselaer, of Claverack, in the county of Columbia, all that certain piece or parcel of land, situate, lying and being in Hillsdale aforesaid, containing one hundred and sixty-four acres, two roods and twenty-seven perches of land; according to the courses and distances, as mentioned by the boundaries contained in the said mortgage.

And whereas James Deyoe, of the town of Hillsdale, in the county of Columbia, on the twenty-fourth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and five, for securing the payment of several sums of money, with the interest thereon, did mortgage to Jacob Rutsen Van Rensselaer, of the town of Claverack, in the county of Columbia, all that certain piece and parcel of land, situate, lying and being in the town of Claverack, and county of Columbia aforesaid, containing eighty-three acres and twenty perches of land; according to the courses and distances, as mentioned by the boundaries contained in the said mortgage.

And whereas Newton Hynes, of the town of Hillsdale, in the county of Columbia, on the seventh day of May, one thousand eight hundred and five, for securing the payment of several sums of money, with the interest thereon, did mortgage to Jacob Rutsen Van Rensselaer, of Claverack, in the county of Columbia, all that certain piece or parcel of land, situate in Hillsdale, in the county aforesaid; containing two hundred and sixteen acres and two roods of land; according to the courses and distances, as particularly set forth and described by the boundaries contained in the said mortgage.

And whereas Benjamin June and Samuel Ames, of the town of Hillsdale, in the county of Columbia, on the twenty-sixth day of March, one thousand eight hundred and five, for securing the payment of several sums of money with the interest thereon, according to the condition of a certain bond executed to Jacob Rutsen Van Rensselaer, Jeremiah Van Rensselaer and Henry R. Van Rensselaer, executors of Robert Van Rensselaer, deceased, bearing even date with the mortgage executed by the said Benjamin and Samuel, did mortgage to Jacob Rutsen Van Rensselaer, of Claverack, in the county of Columbia, All those two certain farms, pieces or parcels of land, situate in Hillsdale aforesaid containing in both pieces one hundred and fifty-eight acres, two roods and nine perches of land; according to the courses and distances, as particularly set forth and described in the boundaries, contained in the said mortgage.

And whereas default hath been made in the payment of part of the principal monies and interest due on the said several mortgages, Therefore Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the power contained in the said several mortgages respectively, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said several mortgaged premises in the above mentioned mortgages described respectively, will be sold at public vendue, at the court-house in the city of Hudson, on Tuesday the first day of November next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon; at which day and place more particular descriptions of the said several mortgaged premises will be given to purchasers. Dated April 16, 1808. 16

James Van Rensselaer,
Philip Schuyler,
Jacob Rutsen Van Rensselaer.

Notice.

THE Subscribers, having entered into partnership in the practice of the law, respectfully offer their services to the public. They have commenced business in the office of William W. Van Ness, esq. By a prompt and faithful discharge of professional duty, they hope to merit a continuance of the business of those who have heretofore employed Mr Van Ness. A principal portion of the unfinished business in the hands of Mr. Van Ness, has been committed to the care of the subscribers, of which those interested will be pleased to take notice.

THOMAS P. GROSVENOR.
THOMAS BAY.
Hudson, July 17, 1807. 42

John Woodward,

HAS commenced the practice of LAW in the city of Hudson, at his office No. 136, corner of Warren and Third Streets, opposite the store of Mr. Henry De Witt; where anything relative to the business of an Attorney or Counsellor at Law, will be strictly attended to.

August 21, 1807. 47

A good Chance.

THE Subscriber will sell an excellent Farm, near the compact part of the city of Hudson, containing seventy acres of good land, all of which is under improvement and in a high state of cultivation. A large proportion is grass land, which produces abundance of excellent hay; the residue is appropriate and well adapted to tillage. The Farm is well watered and stocked with various kinds of fruit-trees, among which is a young orchard of one hundred trees just beginning to bear, all of which are ingrafted—with an equal number of a full growth. A large and convenient brick house, a good barn and other necessary buildings, are erected upon it, with two good wells near the house whose waters never fail. The Farmers' Turnpike forms its western, and the Union Turnpike part of its eastern boundary. The dwelling house stands near the junction of these two roads, within sixty rods of the Hudson Academy—has a short and easy access to market, and is but one mile distant from the court-house. The situation is pleasant and healthy, and commands an extensive and beautiful prospect. It is well calculated to meet the views of any gentleman who might wish to relinquish business and spend his days in agreeable retirement—for an agriculturist, or for one who is in quest of happiness among the more active scenes of life. It is a good stand for trade or for a tavern, and surpasses any other in the county of Columbia in goodness and situation.——An indisputable title will be given, and the terms of payment made reasonable and easy for the purchaser. If desired, possession will be given this spring.

JOHN SWIFT.

Hudson, March 8, 1808. 10

A great Bargain.

For Sale, the property now occupied by the subscriber, situated on Prospect Hill in the city of Hudson, at the junction of the Columbia, Union and Farmers' Turnpikes, fronting the Hudson Square and Academy; consisting of a two story Brick House nearly finished; in which there is a convenient and well finished Store, and about fifteen City Lots, which will be sold together or separately as may best suit the purchaser—the whole being as good a stand for almost any kind of business as any in the city. For terms enquire of

TIMOTHY BADCOCK,

By whom a good title will be given.

March 8, 1808. 10

The Subscriber having erected works at his shop, No. 272, near Mr. Stocking's tavern, for the purpose of making SPINNING WHEELS, informs all those who are disposed to make their own Cloth, that he makes and keeps constantly on hand all kinds of Spinning Wheels, warranted to do the work well. All kinds of produce will be taken in payment at the market price, and if money ever circulates again he will not refuse that! Ladies who have the spirit of '76 roused in their breasts, by the present situation of our affairs, will do well to turn their attention to the pleasing employment of Spinning. No pains will be spared to make the work well, as his great object is to please.

S. STONE.

Hudson, April 12, 1808 15 3w

N. B Wheels Repaired—all kinds of TURNING, and other work in his line of business, will be punctually attended to.

Two Cents Reward.

Ran away from the subscriber, on the 15th day of April inst. Noah Hawley, his apprentice, aged nearly nineteen years. All persons are hereby forbidden from harboring or employing the said apprentice, under the penalty of the law. Whoever will return the said apprentice to me in the city of Hudson, shall receive the above reward but no charges paid.

Thomas Parkman.

Hudson, April 8, 1808. 16

To be Sold,

An excellent Farm in the town of Schodack, between the villages of Castleton and Schodack, on the Farmers' Turnpike, containing two hundred and fifty acres of good land; the one half of it will be sold by itself, or the whole together, as may best suit the purchaser. Said farm contains about sixty acres of natural meadow, clear from stone, as is also the ploughland, which is very easy to till—a sufficient quantity of woodland—an excellent orchard of about one hundred bearing apple-trees, and about two hundred that have been set out one year, which are thrifty. Likewise two good barns, one entirely new, 42 by 30 feet, the other fifty feet square—a very good house, convenient for almost any family, and a good well of water near the door. Said farm is handsomely situated, adjoining Hudson's river, about nine miles from Albany, and is within three miles of four different landings. Any person wishing to purchase will find easy terms of payment.

BLACKLEACH JESSUP.

Feb. 1808. 8 3m

Passage Boat,

Running between

Hudson

and

New-York.

THE well known and established Sloop *EXPERIMENT*, ELIHU S. BUNKER, master, for carrying Passengers only, will sail from Hudson on Sunday morning the 20th of March, at 9 o'clock, and continue to leave Hudson each succeeding Sunday morning at the same hour precisely; and leave New-York every Wednesday evening at 6 o'clock thro'out the season.

This sloop is so well known in this country generally, that it will be unnecessary to say any thing further than that she is completely equipped with the best of beds, bedding, and every thing necessary and comfortable for the accommodation of Ladies and Gentlemen travelling on business or for pleasure.

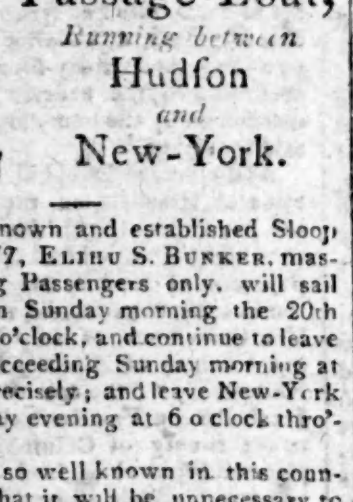
Apply in Hudson, to Mr. REUBEN FOLGER, No. 76, Warren-Street, or on board, at the South Wharf.

March 8, 1808 10—9m

Boot and Shoe Manufactory,

Wholesale and Retail,

By Hazel Myers.



He thinks it needless to enumerate the articles, as he has a full assortment in his line, as good & as cheap as can be had in this city or New-York.

No. 185, Warren Street, Hudson.

9-3m

March 1, 1808

Water Licences.

Those persons desirous of obtaining *Permits* for using the water of the Hudson Aqueduct Company, are informed they will be ready for delivery, by the subscriber, after the first of May next.

ROBERT FOLGER, Treas.

Hudson, April 25, 1808 17—6w

Cash paid for Rags, at this office.

For Sale,

Sundry Lots fronting the public square in the city of Hudson, situate between Warren and Diamond Streets—having in view a most delightful and magnificent prospect of the city, river, and villages, hills, dales, and mountains adjacent. For terms enquire of the subscriber near the premises.

E. GILBERT.

Feb. 22 1808. 8tf

For Sale,

A small Farm or piece of Land, of 42 acres, mostly under improvement, about one mile from this city, adjoining Mount Laurel, the seat of John Thurston, Esq. For prospect and convenience, surpassed by very few in this quarter. Bounded principally by two roads, and the Farmers' Turnpike from New-York to Troy, now making—is eligibly laid out throughout the premises, and the situation, generally, is capable of handsome improvements for a man of business, pleasure or retirement.

JAMES NIXON, jun.

Hudson, June 10, 1807. 37

For Sale,

A new three story BRICK STORE, eligibly situated for business, at the head of Warren street, Hudson. Enquire on the premises, of

JOHN S. HOPKINS.

June 26, 1807. 39

For Sale,

The FARM of the subscriber, situate in the town of Kinderhook, in the village of Klinekill, 14 miles from the city of Hudson, and 9 from the Landing. It is well timbered and watered, containing about 400 acres, and is allowed to be one of the best farms in said town. Let the purchaser come and see for himself. If not sold by the first of April next, the same will be leased for a term, and possession given in the spring.

DIRCK GARDENIER.

Kinderhook, Jan. 15, 1808. 4

For Sale,

Several convenient LOTS, laying on the Farmers' Turnpike, contiguous to the Hudson Healing Springs, two and a half miles from the Hudson Academy, consisting of from two to four acres, as will best suit the purchaser. An indisputable title will be given by

Claudius I. Delametter.

Hudson, Nov. 10, 1807. 59tf

Hoop-Poles.

Eight or ten thousand hogshead and barrel Poles, for which the highest price will be given, wanted immediately, by

W. ROGERS & SONS

Hudson, October 2, 1807. 53

Journeymen Coopers, Ahoi!

Five or six are wanted immediately, and if good workmen, will receive the best wages and constant employment from

William Rogers & Sons.

Hudson, September 11, 50

Dissolution.

The copartnership of *Johnston & Danvers*, of the city of Hudson, merchants, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. All persons having any demands against said firm, are requested to present them to Robert Johnston, for payment; and those indebted are required to make immediate payment to him, as he is duly authorized to receive the same.

ROBERT JOHNSTON.

MATTHEW D. DANVERS.

March 9, 1808. 11

Cabinet Furniture.

Nathaniel Bowman,

Respectfull, informs his friends and the public, that he has on hand at his *OLD STAND* No. 165, Warren-Street, opposite JACOB DAVIS's Store, a handsome assortment of well made

Cabinet Furniture,

which he warrants to be as good as can be purchased in this city, and will be sold on as reasonable terms. Among other articles, are various kinds of

Bedsteads,

Equal or Superior to any in this city for Security from *BUGS*, or for any other convenience.

☞ All orders in his line will be thankfully received and punctually attended to. Those who see fit to favor him with their commands will find him assiduous in his attention to give general satisfaction.

Hudson, July 24 1807 43

Lime.

The subscriber informs the public, that his *Perpetual Lime Kiln* is now burning, near the Presbyterian Meeting-house in Hudson, where any quantity of Lime may be had at the usual price. He intends to have a supply on hand through the season.

Cash given or Lime exchanged for any quantity of

WOOD.

Thomas Power.

Hudson, April, 1808. 17

Look here!

About six weeks ago, a worn *Saddle* was lost between William Shaw's and the Gaol. Any person who will deliver the same to Mr. Shaw, or give information to him, shall be handsomely rewarded.

April, 1808. 17

For Sale,

A likely Negro Wench of 20 years old, together with a Child of 18 months. She can be recommended to be good for all sorts of house work, and of a good disposition. Price for her and child $175.

Peter Van Vleck.

Canaan, April 8, 1808 15 6w

To Let,

And immediate possession given,

The House and Store No. 94, Warren Street, Hudson, nearly opposite the Bank, a good a stand for mercantile business as any in the city. For terms apply at the door, to Mr Hunt, or the subscriber.

JOSEPH D JENKINS

Athens, April 7, 1808

For Rhode-Island, Boston and Nantucket,

The new, fast sailing Schooner Mar... burthen 70 tons, U... COFFIN, jun master, will sail about the ... instant. For freight or passage, apply to master on board, at Athens.

April 7th, 1808.

House Lots,

On the north side of Green-Street, for sale

B. & R. ROBOTHAM.

Hudson, March 15, 1808.

Balance Advertiser.

No. 19. HUDSON, (New-York) TUESDAY, *May* 10, 1808.

TERMS OF ADVERTISING

For a square. First insertion, 50 cents; five succeeding insertions, 25 cents each; every other insertion 20 cents each.

Half a quare. First insertion 25 cents; every other insertion 12 1-2 cents each.

Advance pay for advertising will always be exacted from strangers, or persons living at a distance from Hudson.

New Advertisements.

NOTICE.

The Medical Society of the county of Columbia met in this city, on Tuesday the 3rd instant, and adjourned to meet again on the first Monday in June, at 10 o'clock, A. M. A punctual attendance of the members is requested.

Wm. BAY, *Sec'ry.*

Hudson, May 5, 1808. 1w

Hudson Coffee-House.

The subscriber begs leave to inform his friends and the public, that he has taken that large and commodious house,

No. 28, Front-Street, near Coenties-Slip, New-York,

Where he intends to accommodate all those gentlemen sailing up and down the North River, who may please to favor him with their custom, in the genteelest manner.

James Appleby.

New York, May, 1808. 19—1m

Wanted Immediately,

A Journeyman Carpenter, to whom good wages will be given.

Also, good encouragement will be given to a Shoemaker, by applying to

Aaron Gifford.

Claverack, May 9, 1808. 19—3w

BY order of the hon. William W. Van Ness, esq one of the justices of the supreme court of judicature of the state of New-York. Notice is hereby given to all the creditors of George Jeffers, junior, of the town of Middleburgh, in the county of Schoharie, an insolvent debtor, to shew cause, if any they have, before the said justice, at his dwelling house in the town of Claverack, on the third Tuesday of July next at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, why an assignment of the said insolvent's estate should not be made, and he discharged, pursuant to an act entitled "an act for giving relief in cases of insolvency," passed 3rd April, 1801. Dated April 29, 1808.

GEORGE JEFFERS, jun. *Insolvent.*

George Jeffers, one of the petitioning creditors. 18

To Printers.

The subscriber has on hand, a large quantity of Printing Ink, warranted of a good quality—with which he will supply Printers, either in large or small quantities, at usual prices.

Elihu E. Norman.

Hudson, May 2, 1808 18—3w

Advertising Cards

Are requested to hand in their Advertisements on Friday evening or Saturday morning preceding Tuesday's publication.

Just received at

Norman's Bookstore,

an additional supply of genuine

Garden Seeds,

and a large assortment of

Paper Hangings and Borders.

Also,

Dr Solomon's Balm of Gilead,
Rawson's Stomachic Bitters,
Lee's Pills,
Hamilton's Worm Destroying Lozenges.

A few Tickets

in the Literature Lottery.

Hudson, May 2, 1808. 18—3w

Dissolution of Copartnership.

Notice is hereby given, that the copartnership of the subscribers is this day dissolved, by mutual consent. All those indebted by note or book account are requested to make immediate payment to URIAH RORABACK, who is duly authorised to settle all concerns of the firm.

Uriah Roraback,
John P. Bolen.

Hudson, April 26, 1808. 18—6w

Uriah Roraback

Informs his friends and the public, that the business will in future be carried on by him at the old stand No. , Warren Street, where may be had

Saddles and Harnesses

of all kinds.

Military Caps

made and trimmed in the first style.

Carriage trimming will be done in the best manner, and on the shortest notice. All orders in his line will be thankfully received and punctually attended to.

BY order of Philip S Parker, Esquire, Recorder of the city of Hudson—Notice is hereby given to the creditors of Charles M'Kinstry, junior, an insolvent debtor, now imprisoned in the Jail of the county of Columbia, in a Civil Action, and who has been so imprisoned sixty days and upwards, to shew cause, if any they have, before the said Recorder, at his dwelling house in the city of Hudson on the 16th day of July next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, why an assignment of the said insolvent's estate should not be made for the benefit of his creditors, and he discharged according to law.

Philip S. Parker,
Recorder of Hudson.

April 30th, 1808. 18—6w

Thirty Dollars Reward.

Ran away from the subscriber, on the 17th instant, a Negro Man named PRINCE, about twenty-two years of age, about middling size, speaks English well, smart and active, middling black. Had on when he went away, home pun dark brown Coat, swansdown Vest, Pantaloons of a light coloured corded Velvet, two pair of Shoes, and a fur Hat. The above reward and all reasonable charges will be paid by the subscriber to any person that will take up said Negro and return him to me, or secure him in any goal, where I can get him again.

Elijah Seely.

State of N. York, Orange County, } ss.
Walkill, April 23, 1808. }

18—3w

To Let,

And immediate possession given, one half of the House and Garden in Union Street, now occupied by the Subscriber.

Alexander Van Alstyne.

Hudson, May 2, 1808. 18 1

Wanted Immediately,

An Apprentice to the Millinery and Mantuamaking business. Apply to

A. Muldon.

May 2, 1808 18—2w

Profile Likenesses,

Four for 25 Cents.

By a new patent Phisiognotrace, the only one of the kind in America

Likenesses of every description taken by

D. H. Cromwell,
No 71, Warren Street.

Hudson, May 2, 1808 18—3w

Just received and for sale by

Plumb, Waldo & Power,

S. & A. Warners'

SCYTHES,

For Grass and Cradle, by the dozen or single. To merchants they will be sold at $12 1-2 per doz for Grass, and $14 1-2 for Cradle, which is the factors' price. To those who have proved them, there need be nothing said; and those who have not, have only to make trial to be convinced of their superior goodness. In order to prevent imposition, the Scythes are stamped

S & A. Warters,
Amsterdam.

Hudson, April 19, 1808. 16

Public Notice.

PROSPER HOSMER, having taken his son, *JOHN HOSMER*, into copartnership, the business in future will be conducted under the firm of

Prosper Hosmer & Son.

Who have just received a very handsome assortment of

New Goods,

from New-York; part of which are best superfine Broadcloths and Cassimeres of most all colours and prices, also fine Irish Linens—which with their former stock on hand, make a complete assortment of Dry Goods, and will be sold on very low terms for cash.

Also, Teas and Sugars of the first qualities, Cotton, Indigo, Pepper and Alspice.

Keg and Box Raisins, Currants, &c. &c.

Hudson, March 29, 1808. 13

Patent Bark Mills.

Those who are engaged in the tanning business that wish for an improvement in grinding Bark, may be furnished with the Castings for the subscriber's patent mills, with directions for building them; and also with the right for towns or counties, by applying to

CORNELIUS TOBEY

Hudson, April 1808 16tf.

N. B. Letters will be attended to, postage paid.

Fresh Garden Seeds.

Just received from New-Lebanon Garden, a quantity of Fresh Garden Seeds, and for sale, by

REUBEN FOLGER.

Hudson, March 16, 1808. 12tf

For Boston,

The Schooner JOHN—will sail in 3 weeks. For freight or passage, apply to

Ezra Sampson, jun.

Hudson, April 18, 1808. 16

School, in Second Street.

Mr RUDD respectfully inform the public, that his third quarter will commence on the 3d of May.

His school not being full, he solicits a further patronage of the public.

He proposes to open a Morning School for *Young Ladies* in which will be taught, Geography, Arithmetic, English Grammar, and Writing in the most approved manner. To commence as soon as 6 or 8 scholars shall be obtained.

He wishes to employ the unappropriated hours at noon and evening in giving lessons to a few private students, either at his school room or at their dwellings.

Particulars will be made known on application to him, either at his school room or at Capt. Ingersoll's, in Front Street.

Hudson, April 26, 1808. 17

To Let,

A large front Room

In the House No 143, Warren-Street, now occupied by Dr White, as a Druggist Store, well calculated for a Dry Goods Store or an Office. Enquire of

HENRY DeWITT, jun.

March 29. 13

To Let,

The Brick House on Prospect Hill,

Lately occupied by JAMES NIXON, jun.—Of whom, for further information, enquire.

March 15, 1808. 11tf

To Let,

The Store lately occupied by Rufus Backus & Co. Also,

The House and Store at present occupied by Elijah Spencer and Peter H. Merick.

Enquire of

PROSPER HOSMER.

Hudson, April 19, 1808. 15

Public Auction.

For sale at public auction, on the 6th day of May next, at the dwelling-house of the late SAMUEL B WEBB Esquire, in Claverack, the *Household Furniture* and *Personal Estate* of the said Samuel B. Webb.—And also several other articles, to wit. Horses, Gig, Chair, Phaeton, Waggons and Cattle, on a credit for approved notes, from six to twelve months.

April 26, 1808. 17

Wood.

Ten Cords of good Wood,

wanted soon. Enquire of the printers.

April 2, 1808. 14

Samuel Wigton,

Has for Sale,
At his new Brick Store, in Front-Street, four doors south of the lower Market,

DRY GOODS, Groceries, Hard & Crockery Wares,

&c. &c.

Among them are the following:

DRY GOODS, Viz.

BROADCLOTHS, all qualities and colors
Kerseymeres
Coatings, plain and twilled
Lionskins
Rose Blankets
Swansdowns & printed Kerseymeres
Velvets of various kinds
Corduroys, Thicksets
Vest-Patterns in variety
Jeans and Fustians
Nankeens, in variety
Flannels, Baizes, &c.
Men's Hose, all qualities
Checks and Stripes
Bed-Ticking, cotton and linen
Hats, roram and felt
Lastings, various colors
Satins, Pelongs, Sarsnets
Red Broadcloths for cloaks
Chintzes & Calicoes
Muslins, all sorts and prices
Gurrahs, Platillas, Humhums
Book Muslins and Book Handkerchiefs
Lawns, Laces, Edgings
Long Lawns, Cambrics
Linens, Camlets,
Wildbores, Calimancoes
Durants, Russels, Moreens
Shalloons, Rattinets
Handkerchiefs, of all kinds
Shawls, do. silk and cotton
Gloves, leather, black and colored
Mitts, and habit do.
English, plain, striped and pic-nic Gloves & Mitts
French silk and habit do.
Linen and cotton Stripes
Silk & cotton Gloves and Mitts, men's and women's
Silk and cotton Umbrellas
Woollen, worsted, silk and cotton Stockings, assorted colors, plain and with clocks
Cotton Yarn, Sewing Silk
Threads, Tapes, Bindings
Leghorn, Dunstable and satin Bonnets
Wax, glass and amber Beads
Red & black Morocco Pocket-Books
Cotton and silk Suspenders
Ribbons, Pins, Needles
Thimbles,
Steel knitting Pins, &c. &c. &c.

HARDWARE, Viz.

Bar-Iron, and English blistered Steel—Pots and Kettles—Bake-pans—Smoothing irons—Locks—Knives and Forks, buckhorn handles, &c. of different kinds—Carving-knives and Steels—Razors—Pen-knives—Plane-irons, Chisels, Gouges, &c.—Shoemakers' Tools—Hones—Brass Cocks—Scissors—Plated, gilt and pearl Buttons—Spectacles—Pewter Platters, large and small; do. Basons and Porringers, do. do.; do. Plates and Teapots—Britannia Table and Tea-Spoons—Brass-headed Andirons—Shovels and Tongs—Candlesticks and Snuffers—Copper Tea-kettles—Japanned Waiters and Mugs—Cotton and Wool Cards—Holland Skates—Slates and Pencils—Best steel-plated saw-mill Saws; Cross cut do.—Excellent Fowling Pieces—Pistols—Potash Kettles—Chaldrons—Stoves—Silver plated Candlesticks; do. Salt cellars—Brass Candlesticks—Best Britannia metal Tea pots, &c. &c.

GROCERIES, Viz.

St Croix Rum, of an excellent quality, per hhd. bbl. or gal.—Jamaica Spirits—Wines, per qr cask or less—Brandy, per pipe, bbl. &c.—Gin per do.—Cherry Rum—Brown Sugar, per hhd. bbl. or qr.—Loaf and Lump do. per cwt or less—Coffee & Chocolate—Salt, rock, Turks'-Island & blown—Indigo—Pepper, Alspice, Ginger, Nutmegs—Tobacco, plug, pigtail and paper—Scotch & Maccoboy Snuff, best kind, wholesale or retail, cheaper than the New York prices—Best English rag Powder—Patent Shot, all sizes—Bar Lead—Hard Soap—Bonnet Paper; Writing do.—Cotton-Wool—Holland Brushes; Whitewash do.—Bed Cords—Trace Rope—Redwood, Nicaraguado.—Copperas, Alum—Brimstone—Fine and spit-ball Blacking, &c. &c.

Crockery and China.

Wooden Ware,

Of the *Shakers'* manufacture, viz. Tubs; Half-bushel, &c. Measures; wire and splint Riddles and Sieves; Brooms; Pails, &c. Also, Ploughs, Rakes, Barrels, Kegs, &c.—Whips, Lashes, &c. &c.

Shoes, Slippers, &c.

Of all kinds, for men and boys, ladies and children.

Plaster. Garden-Seeds. Flax-Seed. Red Clover-Seed. Hemp Seed.
Codfish, Pickled do. and Mackerel, by the bbl. or less.
A few barrels Liver Oil.

Bibles, Testaments, Spelling-Books &c. &c.

Take Notice.

S. WIGTON requests all to whom he is indebted to bring in their bills for payment—

AND ALSO,

All persons who are indebted to him are informed, that unless their accounts are settled by the 15th of October, they will be put into the hands of an attorney for collection.

Hudson, September, 1806. 1tf

A few Kegs best
Virginia Tobacco,
For sale by
Samuel Wigton.
Hudson, July 10, 1807. 41

Eastern Bills taken.

The following bank bills will be received in payment for goods at the store of the subscriber, without discount, viz.

Of Pittsfield,
Northampton,
Hartford,
Middletown,
New London, and
New-Haven.

SAMUEL WIGTON.
Hudson, February 6, 1807. 19

Wholesale and Retail Store.

Lloyd & Ingland,

No. Warren-Street,

Have for sale a large assortment of

DRY GOODS,

and

Rum, Gin, Brandy, Sugar, and Molasses,

by the Hhd. Bbl. or less.

Iron and Steel, by the ton, Cwt. or less.

Also, 20 dozen of fashionable fine

Split-Straw Bonnets,

by the dozen or retail, which will be sold cheap for cash or approved notes.
Hudson, January 1, 1808. 2

EXCHANGE OFFICE.

Ransom Clark,

Begs leave to inform the public, that he has opened an office in the city of Hudson, at his house No. 240, Warren Street, where

BANK BILLS,

that are not counterfeit, of every description will be exchanged at a reasonable premium
Hudson, Nov. 4, 1807. 58

Ripley & Center

Have for sale

The following GOODS,

The greater part of which are of their own importation, and will be sold, at WHOLESALE only, as low as can be had from New-York,

VIZ.

60 puncheons St. Croix Rum
30 do. W. Island do.
30 do. retailing Molasses
10 pipes 4th proof Coniac Brandy
5 do. do. Cette do.
8 do. real Holland Gin
20 qr. casks Sherry, } WINES.
25 do. Malaga, } of the 1st
20 pipes, hhds. and qr. casks L. p. Madeira } quality.
14 hhds. Muscovado Sugar
20 barrels do. do.
15 hhds. Lump Sugar
23 chests Hyson-skin Tea
15 do. Souchong do
3 do. Bohea do
20 kegs Ginger
10 bags Pimento
12 do. Pepper
30 kegs Tobacco
800 lbs. Pigtail do.
1 ton Snuff
600 bushels Turks'-Island Salt.

ALSO,

A consignment of 60 pieces Broadcloths and Coatings, which will be sold very low, and on liberal terms.
Hudson, December 14, 1807. 4tf

Seth H. Noyes,

Has just received, by the latest arrivals from Europe, in addition to his former, a large and fashionable assortment of

Fall and Winter Goods,

Which he offers for sale at the lowest New-York prices, at his Brick Store, lately occupied by Ithamer H. Day, No 97, Warren-St.
Hudson, November 15, 1807. 55

Salt, Wine, Liver Oil, &c.

2000 bushels Cape de Verd Salt
800 do. Coarse Liverpool do.
20 qr. casks Teneriffe particular Wine
10 do. London particular Madeira of an excellent quality.
2 hhds. 4th proof W. I. Rum, and
20 barrels Liver Oil, of a superior quality,
For sale at the New-York prices, by
Thomas Jenkins & Son,
At their store north of the Ferry Stairs.
Hudson, Dec. 15, 1807. 64

PORK Wanted.

A generous price will be given for about 300 first rate Hogs, for barrelling, by
S. WIGTON.
Nov. 6, 1807. 58

Horse Thieves, Take Notice.

That on the first day of March, 1808, the Hudson Conscript Company, formed for the detection of horse thieves, met and has unanimously chosen

GEORGE BURCH, Esq. *Treas'r.*

Mich. M. Hallenback,	Nicholas Ten Broeck,
Claud. D. Delamater,	Samuel Dyer,
Peter Kipp,	William Shaw,
Henry Teator,	Monerief Livingston,
Henry Plass,	James Fairchild,
James Van Deusen,	Stephen Gunn,

Riders. 1y10

For sale at Croswell & Frary's Book-Store,
a new edition of the
Laws of New-York,
in 4 volumes complete—price 12 dolls.

Millinery and Fancy Goods

Miss Burke,

No. 142, Warren-Street,

Has received, in addition to her former supply,

Ladies Elegant Beaver Bonnets,
Shag and Velvet do.
Leghorn and Split-straw do.
French Lustring,
Italian do.
Silk Velvets,
Tabby do.
Corded Muslin,
India Book Muslin,
British do.
Mulmul do.
Elegant Thread Laces
Laced Sleeves, Ve... and Caps,
Lace and Pic N... Gloves,
White Kid and Si... do.
Silk and Cotton Ho...
Ribbons,
Cambric Dimity,
Common do.
Bombazetts,
Tortoise shell Comb...
Mock-Tortoise do.
Elegant assortme... Damask Shawls.

Which, together with her former suppl... makes a handsome assortment in the Mil... nery and Fancy Goods Line, and will be sol... as usual, on the lowest terms.
Hudson, November 27, 1807. 61 tf

Mrs. Jeffords,

No. 90, Warren-Street, Hudson,
(opposite Swart's City-Tavern)

Has received, in addition to her former stoc... of

Fancy Goods and Millinery

a very large and handsome assortment of

Straw Bonnets,

All which will be sold on the most reasonab... terms.

Gowns and Pelices made, and Straw Bo... nets made and altered in the best and mo... fashionable manner.
November 13, 1807. 59

Choice Drugs & Medicines

At the Sign of the Lion and Mortar.

SAMUEL WHITE,

Has just received an extensive supply of choi... articles of

Medicine,

which he will sell as low as can be purchas... of equal quality.

ALSO,

Fine Paints, Spices, Figs, Poland Starch &c. &c
Hudson, December 18, 1807. 61

Cabinet Furniture.

Nathaniel Bowman,

Respectfully informs his friends and ... public, that he has on hand at his ... *STAND*, No. 165, Warren-Street, oppo... Jacob Davis's Store, a handsome ass... ment of well made

Cabinet Furniture,

which he warrants to be as good as ca... purchased in this city, and will be sold o... reasonable terms. Among other articles ... various kinds of

Bedsteads,

Equal or Superior to any in this city for ... *curity* from *BUGS*, or for any other con... *ency*.

☞ All orders in his line will be thank... fully received and punctually attended t... Those who see fit to favor him with th... commands will find him assiduous in his a... tention to give general satisfaction.
Hudson, July 24, 1807 43